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1. A CONTINUING ANALYSIS OF MISSION 9253 REVEALS A POSSIBLE HARD SITE (LAUNCH AREA D) LOCATED AT TYUMEN ICBM COMPLEX. LAUNCH AREA D IS LOCATED AT 56-49N 65-29E APPROX 13 NM WEST SOUTHWEST OF THE COMPLEX SUPPORT FACILITY AND APPROX 1.3 NM SOUTHEAST OF LAUNCH AREA C.

2. AN ACCESS ROAD FROM THE MAIN COMPLEX ROAD EXTENDS APPROX 1 NM SSE WHERE IT TERMINATES IN A LOOP. WITHIN THE LOOP IS A EXCAVATION, THE EXACT CONFIGURATION OF WHICH CANNOT BE DETERMINED. THERE MAY BE FROM ONE TO FOUR STRUCTURES ADJACENT TO THE EXCAVATION. APPROX 0.6 NM N OF THE EXCAVATION AND ALONG THE ACCESS ROAD IS A GROUP OF APPROX 14 BLDGS WHICH WERE PRESENT ON THE FIRST PHOTOGRAPHY AVAILABLE [REDACTED]. THESE BLDGS

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ARE PROBABLY NOT RELATED TO THE COMPLEX. THE FIRST EVIDENCE OF THE LOOP ROAD AND ACTIVITY AT THE LAUNCH SITE WAS [REDACTED]

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THE SITE WAS NOT OBSERVED ON [REDACTED]

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SNOW COVER CONTRIBUTES TO THE LACK OF DETAILS.

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